



## Parent Guide

Backyard Science Virtual Summer Program

Grade 3-4 Explorers camp

Welcome to the Green Calgary Backyard Science Virtual Summer Program! We really hope your children (and you!) enjoy the camp.

### How does it work?

Download the camp activity book. You may choose to print the whole booklet, or you can print select activity pages. Your child can choose to complete the activities on the suggested days, or they can pick and choose activities from the book as they wish.

There is a short video to watch at the start of every day.

**Monday:** <https://youtu.be/ZV6HVzg-7E0>

**Tuesday:** <https://youtu.be/c1zYuenDzkA>

**Wednesday:** <https://youtu.be/kXPD2z2eQfY>

**Thursday:** <https://youtu.be/582T4EufP-c>

**Friday:** <https://youtu.be/mOCbRdkyKFM>

There are two live sessions to join during the week. These sessions are optional but provide a way for children to connect with others. Our live sessions will be hosted on Wednesday and Friday at 12 noon.

### How do I join the live video sessions?

To join the live session, visit [www.zoom.us](http://www.zoom.us) and click on 'Join a Meeting'. Please enter the meeting ID and password, or use the following links:

- Wednesday
  - Meeting ID: **714 7891 9128**
  - Meeting Password: **summer**
  - Link: <https://us04web.zoom.us/j/71478919128?pwd=U1FSZndqZmlxQitGMnhZZFBsNWlrZz09>
- Friday



- Meeting ID: **755 3092 2046**
- Meeting Password: **summer**
- Link: <https://us04web.zoom.us/j/75530922046?pwd=YkRWdWhaRU5DUTNiNFcvRXp5NjJXZz09>

### Who can I contact?

If you have any questions during the week please email [education@greencalgary.org](mailto:education@greencalgary.org) or call Stephanie at 403.400.7975

### What will I need?

#### Stationary

- String
- Tape
- Hole punch
- Scissors
- Coloured pens and paints
- Glue
- Tempera paints
- Rubber bands
- Crayons
- Pins

#### Other

- Paper plates
- miniature animals or figures
- Old pair of stockings
- Googly eyes
- Clothes peg
- Tissue paper or parchment paper
- Peanut butter or suet
- Bird seed

#### Recycled and natural materials

- Dirt
- Small stones
- 1 or 2 larger stones
- Flowers
- Eggbox
- Seeds
- Toilet tubes
- Bottle cap
- Cardboard (e.g. cereal box)
- Glass jar or tin can
- Feathers
- Lots of paper (use scrap paper from the recycling bin). You can also use egg cartons.
- A variety of recycled plastic materials (bottles, milk jugs, food containers)
- Large water collection bucket
- Grubs (optional!)
- Bowl
- Rolling pin
- Towel
- Parchment paper



With thanks to:



- Food processor or hand blender (ask a parent to help you)